

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Attorney Docket No.: 2733.27WOUS

Pridie Confirmation No.: 9020

Application No.: 10/528,907 Examiner: Edmund H. Lee

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR JOINING AIRCRAFT COMPONENTS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), an extension of time of three (1) month (from December 17, 2009 to January 17, 2010) within which to respond to the Office Action dated September 17, 2009 2008 is requested. Electronic payment is submitted by credit card to cover the extension fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 16-0631 any underpayments, overpayments or additionally required fees.

Respectfully submitted,



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